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INVENTION : Complement C3 Precursor Biopolymer  
Markers Indicative of Alzheimer's  
Disease  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF MAY 28, 2004**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 28, 2004 having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire August 28, 2004, and for which a Request for Extension of Time along with the appropriate fee is filed concurrently herewith, kindly enter the following response:

**Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.**

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